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ANOTHER MILESTONE.

With this issue, The Review starts on its ninth year under its present ownership. Looking back over the past eight years we can recall many ups and downs in our endeavor to give to the people of Redcliff a creditable newspaper. We had our troubles during the first few months of our efforts. Then in the fall of 1912 we could see sunshine ahead, and for the next year and nine months everything was going nicely, until the Great War broke out when things began to look very dark in a business way. Nevertheless the present publisher held on, hoping that the sky would clear. That his hopes were partly fulfilled is the reason that we are still at the old stand. That our hopes were only partially fulfilled is the reason we are unable to give to the people of this town what they ought to have in the shape of a newspaper. Nothing advertises a town better than a first-class newspaper, but to have a first-class paper the business people of a town must give it proper financial support. It takes money to run a newspaper as well as any other legitimate business and while we are able to give the people what they are now receiving, we feel that the town would be looked upon more favorably by outsiders if the business element would support The Review more liberally.

With the hope that we may be able to give the people of Redcliff better service during the year just commenced, by reason of better patronage by the people of the town, we wish to thank all those who have supported The Review during the past year, and solicit their patronage during the present year.

SENATE VACANCY.

The Alberta vacancy in the senate, caused by the death of Senator Talbot, is already causing some excitement and guessing as to whom his successor will be. Several names of men who have been prominent in political circles for some time in the west are frequently mentioned. Each has his claims for the position, and his circles of friends working in his behalf.

In the selection of a man to fill this vacancy the question of political pull, influence or party politics should not enter into the matter at all. It should first of all be a matter of who best can fill the bill. Then, too, the question of having all sections of the province represented in the senate, so far as our limited number of senators will permit, should be considered. In this connection this district, which forms a part of the federal riding of Medicine Hat, is entitled to the appointment. Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Red Deer and Banff are each now represented in the senate, but this corner of the province is not. For this reason the appointment should be made from some point in this federal riding. The next question then is the selecting of a man. This should not be a very hard proposition. Of all the names mentioned in this district that of Wm. Cousins, of Medicine Hat, appears to be the most popular. In the opinion of The Review Mr. Cousins

is a man well fitted for the position. He is an old timer in this part of the province and because of his activities in all branches of western life is familiar with the conditions, necessities and requirements of the province as a whole. In recent years Mr. Cousins has devoted considerable of his time towards public work in which he covered a great deal of territory in this district, and on every occasion he performed his duties to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. We believe that it would be impossible to appoint a more popular and satisfactory man to fill this vacancy than Mr. Cousins.

Even if politics were considered in the matter, Mr. Cousins would have a claim on the office, for when Union government was established all appointments were supposed to be made on the fifty-fifty basis. At the present time only two of the five Alberta Senators are Conservatives and as Mr. Cousins is a Conservative Unionist his appointment would even up matters.

Down in Ontario the farmers government has started a movement to abolish, or at least reduce the number of appeals to the privy council. The fact that Canada has not had its own final court has always been much talked of and has been looked upon by the masses as more or less of a farce. It has fallen to the lot of the 'first farmers' government in Canada to start something along the line of improvement in this connection. Their efforts will be watched with interest. There are many such opportunities for improvement and it looks as though the farmers intended to take advantage of these opportunities.

Now that preliminary steps have been taken to start a movement to get a system of irrigation for this district it behooves every farmer concerned to lend his assistance in every possible way to help the matter along. If you are interested be at the R. and D. W. A. meeting in Redcliff on Monday, Jan. 12th.

The statement of a scientist that there is enough heat in the atmosphere to make fuel unnecessary doesn't interest us very much here in the natural gas belt. There is nothing much better or more convenient than our old gas stoves and furnaces.

Wonder how that Toronto doctor knows that death from sleeping sickness is the most joyous and peaceful of deaths. Supposing it is, we don't imagine that this assurance will make the disease any more popular.

Now that school children are patronizing the dances it will not be long till there will be a demand for a larger dance hall and a smaller school.

Christmas Present

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John D. Rockefeller gave to mankind a Christmas present of \$100,000,000 held in the general education board to raise the salaries of college professors, and half to the Rockefeller Foundation to aid in the work of combating disease through improvement of medical education, public health administration and scientific research. It is estimated that Mr. Rockefeller's public gifts now approximate \$450,000,000.

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The Redcliff Review

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Watch out for big "Clean-up" sale. Redcliff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fairbairn, of Moran, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Fairbairn's parents here.

Miss Matheson, formerly of our school staff, spent a few days in town this week renewing old acquaintances.

Will give high school girl board and room in exchange for light duties. Apply Mrs. Ballantyne, C. P. R. depot.

Mr. Reid, of the Royal bank staff, has been transferred to Big Valley, Alberta, and left for that point this week.

Mr. William R. Shearer, of Calgary, and Mr. Jack McDonald of Vank-leck Hill, Ontario, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis.

Mrs. D. Williamson, of Box Springs, has been in the hospital in Medicine Hat for the past week, suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

The Box Springs U. F. A. gave a dance in their hall on New Year's eve. The dance was well patronized and was quite a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pearson and family motored over to Lethbridge and spent Christmas with Mrs. Pearson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lakey.

B. Beames, of Kilmory, who succeeded W. Klarsay as teller in the Imperial bank here, arrived this week. Mrs. Beames and child accompanied him.

Mr. James R. Shearer, of Foremost, and Mr. Wm. M. Shearer, of Lethbridge, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Moffatt while attending their sister's wedding.

Glen Smyth, an old resident of Redcliff, who was among the first to venture for service overseas, returned to town this week. Since returning to Canada a few months ago, Mr. Smyth has been living in Winnipeg. His old friends are glad to welcome him back to Redcliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Goucher, who have had charge of the telephone central here, left this week for Okotoks to run the central in that town. B. Sheldon has been appointed to succeed Mr. Goucher here. Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon arrived this week and are now in charge.

R. E. Howard, formerly manager of the Imperial bank here, stopped off at Redcliff this week. Since returning to Walkerville, Ont., to which point he has been transferred, Mrs. Howard and family accompanied him. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lydick.

Mrs. M. Moffatt was the hostess at a home given at her home by the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday last in aid of Miss Jean Shearer, a New Year's bride. A very large gathering of ladies was present and presented the bride-to-be with some very pieces of community silver.

The choir of the Presbyterian church held a delightful evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith in honor of the New Year's bride, Miss Jean Shearer. Miss Lela Fairbairn, on behalf of the choir, presented several beautiful pieces of community silver, while Mr. Smith, in a short address, conveyed their good wishes to Miss Shearer, who has been acting as organist for some time past.

donned proposals next Monday after the Anne House.

We are expecting a bunch of new recruits in a day or two. London.

Miss J. Pearson, of Calgary, is staying for a few days at the manse.

Twenty per cent discount off all children's slings, dolls and doll bug-gies. Redcliff.

Invitations are now out for a banquet to be given by the bachelor girls of town on January 1st.

R. C. Conter and Ralph Fairbairn spent the week-end at town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fairbairn.

Jesse Bishop, Jr., of Box Springs, entertained a few friends to a pleasant afternoon and evening on Christmas.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A four roomed shack on Second st. south. For further particulars apply to Review office.

Those who have been in the habit of allowing their stock to run at large in town should take a warning from the notice in this issue.

FREED FOR SALE—About 60 tons of good wheat and thistle straw; also 40 tons of old straw; all could be sealed for shipment if necessary; reasonable price. Apply to Geo. Lemm.

CHURCH NOTICES

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Unit further notice services will be held in Crow's hall on the fourth Sunday of each month.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
Holy communion 11 a. m.
Sunday school 12:15 p. m.
Evening prayer 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. Wm. Shearer, D. D., pastor.
Residence next door to the church.
Morning service 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "Hope in God."
Evening service 7 o'clock. Special memorial service for the late Rev. G. Lawson Gordon; subject of sermon: "Be Ye Also Ready."
Sunday school at 1:45 p. m.
Chimes class 8 p. m.
Begin the New Year right. Come to church and worship God.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
The subject of the address at the stereopticon series of lectures will be Mount Carmel, Samaria and Jacob's Well.

WOOD ALCOHOL Causes Many Deaths
Three men—an undertaker, a carpenter and a liquor dealer—died of charges before a United States commission in connection with the spreading of wood alcohol as whiskey through five states in the last few days, death and blindness following in its wake.

Over sixty men are reported to have died from drinking this concoction and the three men are now charged with murder.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE AGAIN.
The New York Evening Sun publishes the following from Washington correspondent: "President Wilson will formally announce in a message to guests at the Jackson Day dinner to be held here January 8th that he will not be a candidate for a third term in the White House."

Time Limit for Vocational Training

It has been decided that after February 1, 1926, no more returned men shall be taken on for vocational training, with the exception of those who may be discharged from hospital, to whom the privilege will be extended for six months after the date of their discharge. It is considered by the department of military rehabilitation that by that date every returned man who desires to avail himself of vocational training will have had an opportunity to do so.

Exceptions may possibly be made in individual cases where it can be shown that unusual circumstances have prevented application being made before the date above mentioned, but such will be rare. The suggestion has been made that vocational training should be established on a permanent basis, so as to apply to those "excess" men in industrial life in Canada, and it is possible that a recommendation may be made to the government that should be done and the equipment and experience required in connection with the work among returned men made use of.

Big Emigration of Jews to Palestine

A great tide of Emigration is sweeping into Palestine, influenced by the conviction that Great Britain will shortly accept a mandate for the Holy Land, and that the dream of a national home for the Jews is about to be realized, according to cable advice received by the Zionist organization in London. At the same time a London message received by the Jewish Morning Journal of New York stated that peace negotiations with Turkey would open shortly after the New Year, and that the British delegates would be Premier Lloyd George, Lord Curzon, and Arthur J. Balfour, all three of whom have publicly declared their sympathy with the Zionist movement.

Labor to Make Annual Demands

Canadian organized labor is preparing for its annual interview with the Dominion government. The Dominion executive of the Trades and Labor congress now has in hand the proposals it will lay before the government. The interview itself will be on January 8.

Chief among this year's requests by organized labor will be one for legislation reducing the hours of labor. Labor men emphasize that in the treaty of Versailles Canada has already recognized the principle of the eight-hour day or the 48-hour week. Further, that Canadian government delegates at the international conference providing for an eight-hour day for industrial workers. Whether the Dominion executive of the Trades and Labor congress will be content merely to press the terms of the convention remains to be determined. But it is noteworthy that the executive will decide in favor of urging the 44-hour week.

PREDICTS A RAISE IN BREAD PRICES

As a result of the heavy advances in the price of wheat and flour by the Canadian Wheat Board, the price of bread may go up almost immediately two or three cents a loaf, it is pointed out by bakers.

Some of the bakers have no very exact stocks of flour on hand, and the possibility of unrestricted importation from the States does not relieve the situation since they state that the American flour can not be used, being of inferior quality.

Price of Wheat Raised to \$2.80

Effective from midnight, December 27, the Canadian Wheat Board orders that the price of Manitoba wheat in mills in Canada be raised from \$2.50 per bushel to \$2.80 per bushel, in store at public terminal elevators. The price of wheat in the United States is \$2.50 per bushel, basis 100 c. h. c. Montreal.

In connection with the above advance in the price of wheat, and flour, James Stewart, chairman of the Canadian Wheat Board, states that in order that the consuming public may have advantage of the supply of cheaper flour in the United States, premiums will be paid for the imports of the American product.

All Wheat Prices Are to be Pooled

About two-thirds of the exportable surplus of the Canadian wheat crop has been sold and exported, through the medium of the Canadian Wheat Board, the sole marketing agency of the government. The total is variously calculated from seventy-five to a hundred million bushels, the quantity in the hands of the farmers not being known exactly, while no definite figures have been received from the wheat board, which is given a free hand. A fair proportion of the supply is moving to the United States, where the embargo, was lifting. The primary consideration, however, is the need of Canadian millers for wheat for milling not only of flour, but also of the by-products needed in stock-feeding. All receipts are to be pooled, whether the wheat has already been contracted for or is left in the hands of the farmers. That part of it intended for export must be sold by and through the wheat board, this being the policy adopted to prevent discrimination. Up to November 30, the total of 48,379,315 bushels valued at \$110,185,000, had been sent abroad.

Canadians Want Their Money's Worth

As a result of many western people who in past years spent their winter in California refusing to go south this winter in account of the high rate of exchange an association is being formed, with headquarters in Winnipeg, to encourage the idea of leaving Canadian money at home until it is accepted at face value in the States. Col. C. W. Rowley originated the idea.

The railroads are to be asked to co-operate, offering Canadian coast cities as a substitute for those on the west coast which are warmer climates in winter. It is estimated that forty million dollars each winter is spent in California and Florida by Canadians who cannot find the same climate on the Canadian Pacific coast among their own people who will not discuss their money.

"Our money at face value or we keep it," is the slogan. The idea is expected to result in encouraging the purchase of domestic products in preference to those of any country that discounts the Canadian dollar.

CANADA WILL PAY IMPERIAL PENSIONS.

The Canadian Board of Pension Commissioners have just concluded a meeting whereby the board will take over arrangements with the British government payment of pensions to all Imperial government pensioners and their dependants now residing in Canada or the United States and who were residing in either country at the beginning of the war.



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Egypt Wants Complete Independence

The determination to struggle for the complete independence of Egypt is affirmed by the members of the Nationalist party. In reply to a statement issued by Viscount Milner, the British secretary of state for the colonies, who declared the commission which he heads wishes to revise the aspirations of the Egyptians with the interests of Great Britain and expressed the desire for the Egyptians to freely express their opinions.



Change in Train Service

Effective Jan. 1st, 1926, there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at Redcliff are:

No. 1—11:30 p. m.
No. 2—1:30 p. m.
No. 4—8:30 p. m.

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

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